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I work in the Barrington area and see how much congestion there already is with the horrendous traffic. I would be terribly inconvenienced with an increase in train traffic as what would happen if the CN railroad purchases the EJ&E. I think it would be a big safety concern with the high school and middle school buses that travel up and down Lake Cook Road. I feel that property values would go down tremendously as well. The impact it would make for us environmentally as well would be terrible. I looked up the CN railroads accident reports and with them carrying hazardous materials there is great worry for all the outlined homes, schools, and businesses around the tracks. **Please do not allow the CN to damage this great town of Barrington.** Also, ask the taxpayers to flip the bill for their infrastructure costs. **PLEASE FIGHT AGAINST THIS ACQUISITION OF THE CN RAILROAD!!!**

Thank you,

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